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A DEVICE IN THE STATOR OF A (1) ROTATING ELECTRIC MACHINE (1)	ATTN: BOX PCT

## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Washington, D.C. November 27, 1998

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Concurrently with the U.S. national filing of this application, please amend the present application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Please delete all reference numerals in paranthesis.

Claim 1. (Amended) A rotating electric machine comprising a rotor, stator and windings, the windings being arranged in several layers and <u>including</u> [forming] end windings outside the stator, [characterized in that] at least one of the windings

